IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 2808

Keiji ICHO et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2006 0658A

Serial No. 10/578,433 : Group Art Unit 2423

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated July 9, 2009, please amend the above-identified application as follows: